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AFTER THE STORM.

It is evident that the strong busi-
ness stability of the country's indus-
trial structure has not only not been
destroyed, but has not been seriously
shaken by the long-continued storm
of readjustment, which began to gather
last spring and was at its worst in
November and December just passed.

The decline in prices has caused an
extended time of serious losses, some
of which have been liquidated and
others are being carried as deficits,
constituting burdens which must be
eventually charged off. Many con-
cerns have come through the year
without profits, and others with cap-
ital impaired. Failures have resulted
—large in the aggregate, but smaller
in number and amount than expected.

The era of inflation, out of which
by a somewhat similar period of dis-
turbance caused by the coming on of
the war, when normal conditions were
erupted and the period of depression,
which lasted for nearly a year, be-
gan. It is recalled by the National
City Bank circular that the winter of
1914-15, as far as unemployment was
concerned, was even more serious than
this one.

Cotton is thought to be selling at
distressed prices now, but it is sell-
ing then at less than one-half present
prices. The steel industry, then much
below present capacity, went down to
about 55 percent of employment, and
other industries suffered in the same
way. Then the furious war demand
began to grow, inflation of credit
came with rising prices, and for four
years or more the hot demand con-
tinued. The armistice stopped this
only temporarily, and the wave of ex-
tending buying and speculation con-
tinued to a point where the buying
power became exhausted. The brakes
were put on credit, and the unloading
of speculative holdings began to shat-
ter prices. The public suddenly awoke
to the fact that they had been spend-
ing furiously at exorbitant cost, and
the buyers' strike set in.

There is no question that this ab-
stention from buying, coupled with the
decline in prices, has increased very
largely the power of the country to
buy. This is a favorable factor, which
will show itself when stability of prices
comes about. It would seem that a
large vacuum must be slowly develop-
ing in goods needed by the world—
steel, iron, cotton, copper—which must
eventually create a renewed and per-
sistent demand, but this condition will
only become evident gradually.

If we take this country alone, we
find that the usual causes of depression
are absent: famine, sickness, over-
building, each would cause depression
in any country where one or other
of them prevailed to any extent.

We have none of these causes ex-
tending here. Crops have been good.
Health statistics are highly favorable.
Building operations are some years
behind requirements.

The United States at present is the
banker for the rest of the world. As
credits are slowly released from do-
mestic borrowing, they are absorbed
by the insatiable foreign demand which
is pretty well assured, will continue
for a long period. Easy money ac-
cordingly must wait for the foreign
credit problem to be satisfactorily set-
tled, and that, it appears, will not be
soon. It is however the goal which
must be reached if we are to profit
at all by our war-increased production
facilities, and for us, real prosperity
depends after all upon that solution.

ILLITERACY IN NEW YORK.

Figures Compiled for Cities and Coun-
ties, Including Otsego.

A bulletin recently issued by the
State Education department states
that according to the census schedules
there are 351,943 residents of the state
between the ages of 15 and 50 years
who are unable to read or write any
language or form of writing. The
larger number of these are women,
about a quarter of a million to be spe-
cific, are embraced in the vast con-
glomerate which makes up the popu-
lation of the city of New York, but
there are more than there should be
elsewhere, and it is the province of
the evening schools to reduce this
number. There are now about 76,000
of these receiving instruction, and it
is believed that at no early date the
state as a whole will be able to make
a far better showing.

The county of Otsego, according to
these tables, has 253 persons between
the specified ages unable to read or
write. Chenango county has 260, Dela-
ware 272 and Schoharie 181. As
none of these other counties have a
population as great as Otsego, her re-
cord stands out of the crowd, though
the difference between this county
and Delaware is fractional. Otsego
has 153 of the Otsego total, due of
course to the larger general popu-
lation. The same thing is true of Ver-
mont, which has 158 of the Champlain
total of 269.

Marmota Monax in Franklin.

The woodchuck thought Wednesday
the 16th day of February was Con-
tinental day. Instead of the 22d inst.
At least one of his tribe was out of his
winter quarters on that day, and a sad
day it was for him, too, as Robert
Harkness' dog happened that way and
picked up the big and fat fellow for
his dinner. Last year it was the 1st
of March before the ground hog came
out to stay.—[Dailyman.]

Flying Machines at Sidney.

Wednesday afternoon about 1 o'clock
several flying machines passed over
this village and were plainly seen in
the clear sunlight. They were all gloss-
ed in lustrous black, steering in groups
of two and three north. Their propellers
made no buzz but their engines
gushed caw, caw, caw.—[Record.]

DAYLIGHT SAVING REPEAL THIS WEEK SEEMS A CERTAINTY

More Than Enough Votes to Pass
Measure, Republican Leaders
Say—Other Legislation

Albany, Feb. 20. — Repeal of the
daylight saving law is the principal
event on the legislative program this
week. There are more than enough
votes to assure its success in both
houses, according to Republican lead-
ers. As soon as the daylight saving
question is off the calendar it is ex-
pected that the legislature will turn
its attention to the enactment of pro-
hibition enforcement legislation, as
exemplified in the Mullin-Gage bills,
which are destined to carry out the
recommendations of Governor Miller.
Delay in repealing the daylight sav-
ing law was due to opposition by city
members of the legislature to the
measure reported out under the name
of the assembly agriculture commit-
tee, which was aimed at a flat repeal
of the law. At a conference of the
assembly Republicans last week it was
found that there would not be enough
votes to pass the bill, and a compro-
mise plan was agreed to under
which the rural districts will return
to standard time, while the municipal-
ities will be given the right to oper-
ate under daylight saving time if their
governing bodies so desire. Passage
of the repeal bill in the assembly will
be preceded by an oratorical contest
in which the Democratic minority
will be supported by a majority of the
New York city members. Most of the
New York assemblymen booted last
week's conference when it was turned
into a caucus on the measure. The
Republican leaders are confident of
passing the compromise bill as they
claim to have 75 votes pledged to its
enactment, two more than the neces-
sary majority.

Socialists to Retain Seats?

The hearing before the sub-com-
mittee of the assembly judiciary com-
mittee to determine the eligibility of
Henry Jager of Kings, a Socialist
member of the lower house, has re-
vived interest in the outcome of their
deliberations. Although the anti-Soc-
ialist sentiment in the assembly
admittedly is not nearly so strong as
it was last year when the five mem-
bers of the "minority minority" were
ousted, it is by no means certain that
all or any of the three Socialist as-
semblymen in this year's legislature
are assured of retaining their seats.
The charges against the Socialists are
that Charles Solomon of Kings and
Samuel Orr of the Bronx, who were
ousted last year, are ineligible to sit
for the same reason that they were
ineligible last year. In the case of
Jager, a new member, the resolution
demanding his unseating alleges that
he is a resident of New Jersey and,
therefore, not qualified to be a mem-
ber of the New York legislature.

The introduction of legislation to
carry out Governor Miller's recom-
mendations for the creation of a board
of estimate and control which shall
have supervision over the state's bud-
get is expected this week. The
bill has been drafted and is now be-
ing considered by the financial com-
mittee. It is intended to provide for
a board of estimate consisting of the
governor, lieutenant governor, comp-
troller, and the chairmen of the
senate finance and assembly ways and
means committees. It also aims at the
creation of an executive budget. The
board will be empowered by the bill
to provide for systematic purchases of
the various state departments and
institutions, thereby abolishing the
central supply committee which now
acts as a purchasing agency.

Plans Strike a Snag.

The plans to repeal the direct
primary law in respect to candidates
for state and judicial offices seems to
have struck a snag, despite the Sar-
atoga Republican platform declaration
in favor of such action. The Walton
bill of last year, which is intended to
bring about a return to the old sys-
tem of party nominations, is ready
for introduction but has not yet been
offered at the 1921 session. Opponents
of the bill are awaiting the report of
a special committee appointed last
year to examine and revise the elec-
tion laws. This committee, of which
Senator James B. Whitley of Monroe
is chairman, has not yet submitted its
report. It is understood that the com-
mittee either is in a deadlock, or is
unable to get a majority report in
favor of the Walton bill. Meanwhile
the representatives of a number of or-
ganizations on which the title "re-
form" is bestowed by legislators are
exercising every influence they possess
to prevent a return to the convention
system on the ground that selection
of candidates by direct primary is
preferable to selection by party lead-
ers. Supporters of the convention sys-
tem contend that it is in harmony
with the principles of representative
government under which the affairs



FISKE O'HARA AND PATRICIA CLARY IN A BEWITCHING COMEDY
SCENE IN "SPRINGTIME IN MAYO" AT THE ONE-
ONTA THEATRE, FRIDAY, FEB. 20.

At Mt. Holyoke College.

Miss Helen Wilder of Oneonta was
a member of the cast for a brief sketch
in the form of a one-act musical com-
edy which was presented at the re-
cent junior-freshman reception at
Mount Holyoke college, South Hadley,
Mass. The sketch, which was entitled
"George's Debut," depicted an inagur-
ary incident in the life of Washing-
ton. Miss Carolyn F. Rogers of One-
onta was among the freshmen present
at the reception.

For the motor trip—A vacuum bor-

der fitted with Elwa highgrade seal, lead
or hot.

NEXT CONVENTION AT RICHFIELD.

County Superintendents of Poor to
Gather Last Week in June.

County Superintendent of Poor M. J.
Esmay of Phoenix Mills was in the
city on Saturday, accompanied by Mrs.
Esmay, attending to official duties.
Mr. Esmay attended last week the
winter meeting of the New York State
Association of County Poor Superin-
tendents at Albany and reports a most
profitable and interesting session.
He was pleased that the invitation
he extended in behalf of Richfield
Springs to hold the summer session
the last week in June next at that re-
sort was accepted. It was especially
pleasing in view of the fact that there
were several invitations and from
some of the larger cities whose
promises were more than Richfield
could assume. The summer session is
usually largely attended with some
social features with the wives often in
attendance.

"Spanish Love" on Tour Next Season.

The Wagenhals and Wempe produc-
tion of "Spanish Love" at Maxine El-
liott's theatre, New York, which is
one of the outstanding hits of the
year, will prove the exception next
season on tour. Because of the large
cast, the expense of the production
and the inability to duplicate the cos-
tumes in this country, only one "Span-
ish Love" company will be sent on
tour, instead of the customary four
or five.

A Birthday Surprise.

Herbert Gilpin of West End avenue
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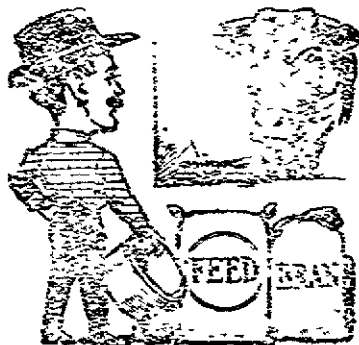
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TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY.

8 a. m.	21
2 p. m.	24
8 p. m.	29
Maximum 26 — Minimum 29	
Barometer, 46 inch.	
Saturday's record:	
8 a. m.	12
2 p. m.	24
8 p. m.	23
Maximum 24 — Minimum 8	

LOCAL MENTION.

—J. E. Holdredge has removed his saleroom for custom made clothing to room 3, over the Wilber National Bank.

—The meeting of the Fortnightly club, which was to have been held on Tuesday evening of this week at the home of Owen C. Becker, has been postponed until Wednesday evening. The speaker is Dr. W. S. Cooke, and his theme is "Municipal Sanitation."

—Fred M. Baker received yesterday a cartload of 23 head of horses shipped by express from Illinois, which had been delayed in transit, having been expected to arrive on Friday. They embrace both matched pairs and single horses and will be on sale at the stables of Mr. Baker.

GO-TO-CHURCH SUNDAY.

Storm Interfered With Plans Yesterday; Renew Campaign This Week.

The stormy weather prevailing yesterday somewhat interfered with organized plans in several city churches for a "go-to-church" movement in connection with the united campaign being conducted during Lent by the Protestant churches of the city. Probably the most active effort was made at the First Baptist church, where the Baraca class of men set as their goal an attendance of 100 men at their meeting following the morning service. The movement was productive of results, and there was a notable increase in the attendance of men, both at the regular church service and the Baraca meeting.

Commencing this evening, the United Presbyterian church, Rev. P. M. Caughey pastor, will hold special services every night for two weeks. Rev. L. E. Smith, pastor of the Woodlawn Avenue church of Philadelphia, will preach, and a special invitation is extended to the public. These services also are a part of the Lenten "revival."

Cards had been sent out to the young people of the First Presbyterian church, with a request that they be present at the Sunday morning service yesterday, and many of them were. Dr. Russell preached a special sermon on "The Prodigal and His Brother," emphasizing the fact that too much glory is placed about the head of the prodigal son, and not enough about his brother, who had never sunk into the depths of sin. Calling attention to the fact that too much need to go outside our own community to find examples of the prodigal, the pastor urged parents in the congregation to impress upon their children that it is better never to have had an "experience" than even once to have tasted of sin. The sermon was a timely one and it is unfortunate that it was not heard by a larger number of young people.

Other churches of the city are participating in the "go-to-church" movement, and no doubt redoubled efforts will be made to make next Sunday a banner day.

Youth Makes Long Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip L. Maples of 33 Spruce street have as their guest for several weeks his nephew, Hollis M. Matteson of Spokane, Wash. Hollis plans to remain here throughout the summer, visiting at the Maples home and with his aunt, Mrs. Arthur Whitehead of 19 Reynolds avenue. He also probably will call on relatives and friends in other parts of the country.

Hollis, who is but 14 years of age, made the trip from Spokane to Chicago alone, and was met in the latter city by Mr. Maples, who accompanied him to Oneonta, arriving Friday evening last. The young man is a son of Charles Matteson, formerly of Mt. Vernon, and spent his earlier years in that place.

Meetings Today.

Regular communication Oneonta lodge, No. 455, F. & A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock. Fellowship degree will be conferred.

Regular meeting of Oneonta grange, No. 1345, Monday evening, 8 o'clock. Odd Fellows hall. Third and fourth degrees will be conferred.

Bible Study class, group four, will meet this evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Butts, 84 Ford avenue.

The regular meeting of the Queen Esther circle will be held at the home of Miss Frances Paschley, 75 Elm street, this evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Regular meeting of B. R. C. in Trammens' hall tonight at 8 o'clock.

Meeting Tuesday.

The Wilkes Workers of the Women of Mooseheart legion will meet at the Moose rooms Tuesday, Feb. 22, at 7:30 sharp. Following the meeting a Mary, the Washington supper will be served. Loyal Order of Moose and families invited.

Home-Sweet-Home.

Now is the time to improve your home at very moderate prices. Our clearance sale lasts only one week more. Buy now and save from 35 to 50 percent. Home Furnishing company.

Five time promised all at Washington social at Elm Park church Tuesday evening. Park church supper, with all the trimmings. Come and enjoy an evening of worth-while entertainment.

The ladies of St. James' guild will hold a rummage sale Friday, Feb. 25, at E. J. House's store, Elm street. The committee would like the members to contribute house furnishings, furniture or dishes.

You are in ordering Hygrade brand butter. It is famous for its purity and deliciousness and it reaches you in a sealed, air-tight package, as perfect condition as when it was made.

Eastern Star dance at Dreamland hall Tuesday, Feb. 22, from 8 to 12. All Masons and Stars invited. Tickets \$1.25. Extra ladies 50 cents.

B. R. C. will hold its regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in B. R. T. hall. Regular business, followed by initiation.

CLEARING THE HIGHWAYS

State Roads Between Oneonta and Sidney, and Oneonta and Cooperstown Open, With Auto Club and Bus Line Owners Co-operating.

Genuine northeaster was the snow-storm that broke over the city during Saturday night, and Oneontans awoke yesterday morning to find several inches of snow on the ground and the downtown business did not stop until mid-afternoon, the prevailing estimate being that about 10 inches had fallen. It is light snow and there being little wind no trouble was experienced on the railroads entering the city. Trains were but little if any late, and the movement of traffic was normal. The snowfall did, however, affect the Go-to-Church movement, many being detained to clear their walks.

Highways are still open to motor traffic. The two snowplows secured for the Sidney and Cooperstown roads were both out and made trips each way over the highways between this city and the two places named, and both roads are said to be in good condition for motor traffic.

Credit is due to W. O. Brannaman of Brannaman's garage, who gave all the labor of equipping the LaGrange bus with the plow, and it is working to perfection. In fact, all who have seen the plows at work on the highways are enthusiastic in praise and declare that none better could have been secured. The Cooperstown plow operating in the city certainly did excellent work along Main street east of the post office.

It is hoped that there will be no necessity for further work today on the Sidney road. In which event it is expected that Mr. LaGrange will go over the highway to Woodstock to keep that highway in condition for motor cars.

KIDDIES CONTEST PLEASES.

Numerous Contestants Saturday Afternoon, All of Whom Perform Well.

Unusual interest was taken in the Kiddies Amateur contest at the matinee performance at the Oneonta theatre Saturday afternoon, the capacity of the theatre being exceeded by the large number of spectators standing, the crowd being attracted in large part no doubt by the little folks who were to appear. There were nearly a score of contestants and most of the acts were highly creditable and well done, the crowd manifesting keen interest in the work of the little lads and lassies. The management which had offered a good kodak to the boy and girl winning, but on seeing the number to appear, increased the prizes for each class to three each, the second being \$2 and the third \$1, while a smaller consolation prize was given each one appearing.

Justly no doubt the most enthusiastic applause was given Master Maurice Reynolds, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reynolds, the drummer boy who captured the throng. He played with perfect time and did it so naturally and so well that his four numbers were a delight for all. He was accompanied by Miss Nita Fonde, pianist at Howland's music store. He easily won the first prize for boys. The second went to Tony Denegris, comedian and dancer and companion. Tony was certainly at his best Saturday afternoon. Harry Freary of Miller street, who performed skillfully at the piano for one of his age, was awarded third.

Among the girl contestants, Miss Helen Hynes was awarded the kodak, she and her companion, Joseph Fahney of Chestnut street having a pretty act, including a song and dance. Mr. Fahney was given a cash prize. The second prize for girls went to petite Violet West, daughter of Myron West of Cleveland street, who sang in a sweet, plaintive voice two numbers. The third was won by Maolina, daughter of Carl L. Shearman, who sang a song and was exceedingly well done.

PUBLIC HEARING CALLED.

On Application of Trolley Company for Ten Cents Fare in City.

Elsewhere in this issue appears a notice issued by the Public Service commission, second district, calling a public hearing to be held at the council chamber at Friday, March 4, at 3 p. m. The hearing is called to hear the application of the Southern New York Power and Railway corporation for permission to increase the passenger fare on its Oneonta city lines to ten cents, with seven tickets for 50 cents sold, same to be good on the city line alone.

The aim of the company is as has been noted in these columns to make the occasional rider pay what it is worth to provide accommodation for him and at the same time afford the regular patron as low a fare as is possible and maintain the service.

Buys Cook Property.

Charles A. Nichols, who recently sold the S. S. Crandall farm on the Otsego road and is to vacate March 15, has purchased of Fred J. Campbell the desirable place in Otsego village formerly occupied by Frank R. Cook and later by Mr. Campbell. The property has good buildings, and about 40 acres of fertile land. Friends of Mr. Nichols are pleased that he is to remain in Otsego county and are congratulating him on his purchase.

Merchants' Association.

Important meeting at 8:30 o'clock this morning, at Chamber of Commerce to discuss Dollar Day. It is important that every member possible be present. By order of the president.

Our Pleasure and Your Gain. We take pleasure in showing you our stock of furniture which we are selling at a big reduction. Sale lasts only one week more. Home Furnishing company.

The Allen District school will hold a Washington social Monday evening, February 21, at the home of Lafayette Bard, proceeds to be used for the benefit of the school. Everybody urged to come.

Household Expense Books. A good household expense book for \$3 cents. A four-year one bound in cloth for \$2.75. The Oneonta Press, Inc.

Recreation club dance, tonight at High school. Instruction at 7:45. Dancing at 8:30. For local employees only. Fee, 15 cents a person. mt.

FUND NOW OVER \$13,000

Contributions Since Last Report \$147.35—Mrs. U. G. Welch of Edmeston Sends \$87.90.

Contributions for the Child Feeding fund, received at this office the past week, aggregated \$147.35, saving the lives of 14 children and bringing the fund forwarded through The Star to \$13,058.82, which with the contributions forwarded other than through The Star should, and it is believed, make the contributions from Otsego county and this section fully equal to the quota.

The largest contribution forwarded, with a total of \$87, sent by Mrs. U. G. Welch of Edmeston, was \$45 contributed by a Burlington Flats friend. Among the organizations who sent gifts are the following: Butternut chapter, Order Eastern Star, \$10; Laurens chapter, Order Eastern Star, \$5; Alpha Delta sorority of State Normal school, \$10, and Plainfield Center community offering of \$21.35.

The list follows:

Butternut chapter, O. E. S. \$10.00
Laurens chapter, O. E. S. \$5.00
Friend (J. E.) \$1.00
W. G. W. of Hartwick \$1.00
Through Salvation Army \$1.00

By Mrs. U. G. Welch, Edmeston.

C. H. Chasebrough, Edmeston \$5.00
Mrs. S. E. Sherman, Edmeston \$5.00
Mrs. Anna B. Smith, Edmeston \$5.00
D. W. Bennington, Edmeston \$10.00
Ethlyn Rose, Edmeston \$5.00
Mrs. J. J. Underwood, Edmeston \$5.00

Eastern Star chapter, Edmeston \$5.00
Burlington Flats friend \$45.00
Florence J. Chasebrough, Edmeston \$5.00

Alpha Delta sorority, State Normal school \$10.00
W. W. Clough \$5.00
Plainfield Center community \$21.35

Total \$147.35
Previously reported \$12,911.47

Total to date \$13,058.82

Washington's Birthday Closing.

Business will continue practically "as usual" in Oneonta tomorrow, Washington's birthday, a legal holiday, as the holiday generally is not observed by local merchants. However, both banks and all the city schools will be closed all day. Postmaster Beams states that the postoffice will remain open until noon, but there will be no deliveries of mail, either city or rural, during the day. Owing to the small clerking force on duty during the day, no mail for city routes can be given out at the office.

In the eyes of all connoisseurs, the meal becomes a banquet when the desserts are flavored with Baker's certified extracts. At all grocers. 1w

Hatching Egg Boxes. Parcel post boxes for 15 or 20 hatching eggs. The Oneonta Press, Inc. 3c

WILL CREATE SENSATION

Early Announcement of Manager of Oneonta Ball Team for 1921 Will Be Happy Surprise for Local Fans.

There will be some commotion among the baseball fans of Oneonta and surrounding country as well as in the tents of presumably opposing teams for the summer, when announcement is made of the manager-player of the Oneonta team for 1921, which it is expected will be made by the athletic committee of the Boosters within the next few days.

No definite statement can be secured from them at the present time. It is known, however, that a tentative contract has been made and that the terms are eminently satisfactory to the committee and that the man who is to pilot the team this summer, provided the contract as drawn is signed, is one widely known as a successful player in the American league for years and more recently a successful manager of a minor league team.

There appears little doubt in the minds of the Boosters' committee that the man is as good as landed now. However, they prefer to take no chances and will make no statement at present, assuring that as soon as the contract is signed that announcement will be promptly made.

While there may be a ship and another engaged, the prospects are bright for the deal being consummated with the man now in mind. In any event, an experienced player with experience in handling men will be engaged and the team to be engaged will be managed and run for the good of the game.

FORD CARS IN DEMAND.

Oneonta Sales Company Reports Sixteen Cars Sold Saturday.

R. J. Warren of the Oneonta Sales company reports the sale of 16 Ford cars and one Fordson tractor on Saturday last, which Mr. Warren believes and undoubtedly is a record for this section since the industry was established.

What is equally gratifying to Mr. Warren is the fact that in every instance the customer would have taken immediate delivery had it been possible. All were retail sales. Deliveries will be made on or before March 1.

This record sale is indicative that business in this section is not seriously impaired that the demand for motor cars is to be large during the current year.

Mr. Warren is in Buffalo, having been called there by the office of the Ford motor company, for a conference relative to the business for 1921.

Social at Main Street Church. The Young People's society of the Main Street Baptist church will hold a social in the church parlors this evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a cafeteria lunch and brief program of interest to all. All young people of the church, and their friends, are cordially invited to attend.

If you want to be sure of getting the best coffee, just ask for Otsego. It's easy to do, but it will heighten the enjoyment you will find in your meals. 1w

Oneonta Department Store

THE STORE FOR EVERYBODY

Hundreds of Shirts Sold The First Day

---But There Are Hundreds of Bargains Yet
at the Same Prices

Hundreds of Shirts and Blouses sold the first day—could anything else tell more of the realness of the bargains we've been offering in this sale?

Hundreds of Shirts and Blouses have been sold. But we bought 1,500. There are still hundreds of bargains left at the initial prices.

In these lots are Shirts for every use and every occasion—dress shirts, work shirts, shirts and blouses for boys and youths, shirts with French cuffs, shirts with laundered cuffs; shirts without collars; shirts with collars.

All Are Being Closed Out in This Sale at 35 to 50% Off

\$1.50 Shirts in this sale at ... 95c	\$3.00 Shirts in this sale at ... \$1.59
\$2.25 Shirts in this sale at ... \$1.00	\$4.00 Shirts in this sale at ... \$2.00
\$2.50 Shirts in this sale at ... \$1.25	\$5.00 Shirts in this sale at ... \$2.50
\$6.50 Shirts in this sale at ... \$3.50	

GLANCE OVER THESE SPECIALS

STANDARD PERCALE SHIRTS Lot No. 1—Ace Brand. Standard Percaloes, well made, unlimited range of patterns from neat to beautiful novelties. Formerly \$2.25. This sale only \$1.00	SATIN STRIPES, OXFORDS Lot No. 4—Avalanche Brand. Sateen, light, mercerized. Pongees—Woven Madras—very best shirt values that money can buy. Formerly priced at \$2.00. This sale only \$1.00	FOR ULTRA DRESS WEAR Lot No. 7—Avalanche Brand. Hudson Fibre—Striped Fibre Silks—Radiant Silks—Madras Silks—Radiant Silks—Shirtings of exceptional quality. Formerly priced at \$5.50. This sale only \$3.50	Lot No. 10—R. & M. Brand. Men's standard quality, two colors attached. Formerly \$2.50. This sale only \$1.25
COLORED MADRAS PRINTED PONGEES Lot No. 2—Queen City Brand. Colored Madras—High Count Percaloes—Printed Pongees—in beautiful patterns and weaves, splendidly made. Formerly \$2.50. This sale only \$1.25	JERSEYS, RUSSIAN CLOTH Lot No. 5—Avalanche Brand. Woven Satin Stripes—Flannel Cloth—Woven Stripes—Russian Cloth—Woven Madras—Imported Silk-lined Sateen. Formerly \$2.99. This sale only \$1.50	SHIRTS FOR THE LITTLE MAN Lot No. 8—Little Major Brand. Nationally known B. & B. Flannels, manish, stylish and durable. Formerly \$1.50. This sale only 79c	Men's standard quality, two colors attached. Formerly \$2.50. This sale only \$1.25
PONGEES, FRENCH PERCALES Lot No. 3—Avalanche Brand. Mercerized, Pongees—French Percaloes in Satin Patterns, Neat and Novelty Stripes and Checks—Finest of Workmanship and Finish. Formerly \$2.69. This sale only \$1.59	ART SILKS—NOVELTIES Lot No. 6—Avalanche Brand. Art Silk Stripes—Jacquard Effects—Silk Stripes—Novelties—Art Silk Cross Stripes. Formerly \$2.50. This sale only \$1.50	MEN'S WORK SHIRTS Lot No. 9—R. & M. and Jack Rabbit. Men's standard Work Shirts, full through chest and shoulders, extra neat, secure, light, percale. Formerly \$1.50. This sale only 95c	Come in and fill your family's requirements for the season—you can buy a half dozen of these shirts for the same price that three or four will cost six months hence. This is all quality merchandise, made by one of the largest and most reputable of middle western shirt makers.



A Scene from "AWAY GOES PRUDENCE" starring BILLIE BURKE.
A PARAMOUNT ARTIST PICTURE

AT HATHAWAY'S ONEONTA THEATRE TOMORROW, 2:30, 7 AND 9, ON THE SAME PROGRAM AL AND NAN DELMONT, A BIG TIME KILTH VAUDEVILLE MUSICAL ACT.

DEATHS.

John A. McMinn.
John A. McMinn, for the past eight years a resident of Oneonta, died at 2:30 a. m. on Sunday at the Fox Memorial hospital from bronchial pneumonia, following an operation which he underwent about two weeks ago. The funeral services, which will be private, only relatives and near friends being present, will be held on Tuesday at 1 p. m. at the home of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Young, 14 Forest avenue. Burial will be in the family plot at West Davenport.

The deceased was a son of the late Daniel and Matilda (Banner) McMinn, and was born March 19, 1860, at West Davenport. Since his removal to Oneonta he has been a valued employee of the D. & H. shops, his former home being at 17 High street. He was a much respected man and has many friends, who will regret his death.

Funeral of Mrs. Jane A. Johnson.
The funeral services for the late Mrs. Jane A. Johnson, notice of whose death appeared in The Star of Saturday, were held at 9:30 a. m. yesterday at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Walrath, of 22 Fonda avenue. Rev. Mr. Bard of the West End Baptist church officiated and the body was placed in the Plains vault for interment later at Jefferson, the trip to Jefferson being deferred on account of the present impassable condition of the roads. The bearers were relatives of the deceased.

Rheuma--Quick and Sure

Rheuma, the marvellous rheumatism remedy, sold and guaranteed by George S. Slade. Acts quickly, safely, surely. It subdues and drives from the system the poisons that cause stiffness and pain in the joints and muscles.

YOUNG TRAINMAN STRICKEN.

Frank Steenburg, 21, of Cherry Valley, Dies Here of Pneumonia.
Frank Steenburg of Cherry Valley, who since October last had been employed in this city as a D. & H. trainman, died yesterday afternoon at about 4 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, 21 Fonda avenue. Two weeks previous he came down with a hard cold, which soon afterward developed into pneumonia, and efforts of physicians to save him proved unavailing, the illness being serious from the start. The body will be taken to Cherry Valley this afternoon, where the funeral and burial will be held.

Steenburg, who was 21 years, 10 months old, had spent most of his life at Cherry Valley, where his father is a farmer, but last fall came to Oneonta to enter the service of the D. & H. company, and had made his home at the Bennett residence. Although not widely known here, owing to his brief residence, he had numerous friends among the railroad men, and about the neighborhood where he lived, who spoke yesterday in high terms of his character and conduct. It is indeed unfortunate that one just entering the realization of manhood should suddenly be stricken down.

The deceased is survived by his parents and two brothers, Jesse and Theodore Steenburg, all of Cherry Valley, and by a sister, Dottie, of Sprout Brook.

Funeral of Salvatore Catalano.

The funeral of the late Salvatore Catalano was held Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church. Father William Noonan officiated and interment was later at Calvary cemetery. Musicians of Oneonta acted as bearers.

Benji has seen lots of smoke. tr

TO REST IN HIS NATIVE SOIL.

Body of Clyde H. Farrington Arrives from France--Funeral Tuesday.
The body of Clyde H. Farrington, one of the last of Oneonta soldiers who in France made the supreme sacrifice, arrived in Hoboken on February 15 from Bordeaux, France, and accompanied by a guard of honor, reached this city on the sleeper the D. & H. Sunday morning. The casket, covered with the American flag, was taken to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Farrington, at 23 Burnside avenue, where the funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Frank M. Caughey of the United Presbyterian church will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot in the Plains cemetery. Members of the American Legion will act as bearers and escort, and a firing squad from Company G will fire a salute of three volleys, after which taps will be sounded by the company bugler.

Mr. Farrington, who was 23 years of age at the time of his death, was a member of Company K, 69th infantry, 7th division. He was a machine gun machinist and was at the front with his regiment during the final weeks of the war. He was taken ill in the trenches in the last days of October and was transferred to a base hospital at Saone-et-Loire, where he died Nov. 2, 1918, of bronchial pneumonia, temporary interment being in the American cemetery at that place.

Prior to entering the service Mr. Farrington was employed at the Round House of the Delaware and Hudson company in this city. He was a member of the United Presbyterian church, of the Oneonta tent, K. O. T. M., and of the Machinist Helpers' union. He was a respected young man and the announcement of his death, which reached Oneonta in the first days of the armistice, was received with general expressions of sympathy and regret.

Besides his parents above named, Mr. Farrington leaves his wife, formerly Miss Mabel VanZandt, of Voreheville, to whom he was married in February, 1918, preceding his entry into the service the following spring; and by one brother, Grant M. Farrington of this city.

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, March 1; Eagle, Norwich, March 5.

Williams' Kidney and Liver Pills

Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and liver? Have you pains in loins, sides and back? Have you a failing appearance? If so, take Williams' Kidney and Liver Pills. For sale by all druggists. Price 50 cents. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS, Dr. J. C. Williams, Lowell, Mass. For sale by Marsh, The Druggist.

PERSONALS

Claude V. Smith and family passed the week-end with friends in Cobleskill. Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Shelton were the guests yesterday of friends in Cobleskill.

Judge and Mrs. A. L. Kellogg arrived home yesterday from a visit to Hudson and Albany.

E. W. Elmore of the Elmore Milling company left last evening on a business trip to Buffalo.

Mrs. F. D. Gould of Unadilla returned home yesterday after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Haskins.

A. Arthur Horn of Schenectady was the guest of his sisters, the Misses Emma and Walcott, on Sunday.

Mrs. George H. Westcott of this city spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Anna Eckerson, of Worcester.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gannett of 51 Maple street spent the week-end visiting relatives and friends in Poughkeepsie.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Drees spent the week-end in Schenectady with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Menzies.

Mrs. J. J. Beadnell of London avenue has returned home from a week's visit with relatives in Detroit, Buffalo and Niagara.

Frank E. Wells arrived home on Saturday from Hudson Falls, where he went with the body of Mrs. Wells for interment.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Jackson and children returned home last evening after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Spencer.

Mr. M. H. Alvord and Miss Fuller departed yesterday for a week's stay in New York city, combining business with pleasure.

Prof. and Mrs. Floyd A. Wilber of New Berlin were guests last Friday at the home of Charles A. Foster, 70 Maple street.

Miss Lila Winnie of this city left Saturday for Worcester, where she will spend some time with her mother, Mrs. Arvilla Winnie.

Mrs. Robert M. Clemons and son, Charles, of 25 West street, are spending a few days with relatives in Albany and Whitehall.

Miss Andrew Williams of Whitehall, who had been visiting her son, William McQueen, of 250 Main street, returned home Saturday.

Miss Helen C. Fitts of the Normal faculty arrived home yesterday from Tusculum, Pa., where she was called by the death of a relative.

Mrs. Fred Gillen of Binghamton, who had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wright, of Dietz street, returned to her home on Saturday.

W. H. Barnett of Kingston, who had been visiting at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Lillian Blanchard, of 20 Valleyview street, returned home Saturday.

Miss Susan Birdsall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Birdsall, who had been spending the week-end with her parents, returned to Albany yesterday afternoon.

Friends of the family will regret to learn that Ben Hickok, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hickok, is seriously ill with scarlet fever at the family home on Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. Abram Gillett of 14 Ford avenue left Saturday afternoon for Watervliet to visit relatives. Mr. Gillett returns today, but his wife remains for a longer sojourn.

Dr. Marshall Latcher, who recently recovered from a serious illness, left Sunday morning for New York city, where he will spend three weeks in postgraduate work at the New York Post Graduate school and hospital.

Cordell A. Wilber of Binghamton, of the Wilber-Bailey company of this city, was in the city on Saturday conferring with his associates and looking after business matters in the city.

Mrs. P. J. McTigue of Binghamton, wife of the well-known wholesale grocer of this city, was in the city for the week-end visiting friends among the faculty of the State Normal school. She perhaps will be best remembered by Star readers as Miss Mary Donellan, a former member of the Normal faculty.

AGED RESIDENT OF OTSEO.

Mrs. Frances M. Williams Dies Saturday at Home of Daughter in Oneonta.

Frances M. Williams, wife of the late Sherman Williams of Fly Creek, died Saturday evening, February 19, at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn E. Murdoch, 464 Main street, this city. Her serious illness was of only two weeks duration, and her death was due to the intricacies of age rather than to any organic disease. The funeral services will be held at the Murdoch home at 2 p. m. on Tuesday. Rev. Dr. Farley of the First Baptist church will officiate, and interment will be in the family plot at Fly Creek.

Mrs. Williams was born August 27, 1824, and was a daughter of Dr. John and Perle (Judson) Drake. Dr. Drake was himself a native and life-long resident of that township. He was born in 1776, his life and that of his daughter bridging the last days of the seventeenth century with the first of the twentieth century. She was married to Mr. Williams in 1857, and her home thereafter until the death of her husband in 1885, and for some years thereafter was at Fly Creek. For the past 14 years she had resided with Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch in Oneonta.

The deceased in early life united with the Presbyterian church at Westford, an organization dating back to 1809, and the church edifice, several times repaired and improved, from 1867. She was doubtless the oldest surviving member of that society. She was a consistent Christian and until her hearing failed an attendant on the church services. A woman of extensive reading it had for years been her habit to comb in books gems of thought in prose and poetry which appealed to her. The latest of these books, unfinished, contains selections written only a few weeks ago, and the writing is unusually clear and legible with no indication of the feebleness which one might have expected in the case of one who has just passed her eighty-sixth birthday. Her eyesight also was remarkable, and only in rare instances did she resort to the use of spectacles. She was essentially a home-keeper, and in the love of her family and in home surroundings she found the greatest delight.

Mrs. Williams is survived by two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Murdoch of Cooperstown and Mrs. Lynn E. Murdoch of this city, also by one son, George L. Williams of Fly Creek, and a sister, Mrs. Carolyn L. Bacon of Silver Creek. She also leaves five grandchildren and five great grandchildren. The family will have general sympathy in its bereavement.

Funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Forman.
Kortright, Feb. 20. The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Forman, who died suddenly last Monday evening at her home in West Kortright, was held at the West Kortright United Presbyterian church on Thursday morning last. Rev. H. A. Armistead of South Kortright officiated and burial was in the Bloomville cemetery.

Mrs. Forman was a life-long resident of this vicinity, where she made a host of friends who deeply mourn her death. She is survived by two daughters, Lena and Edith, and one son, Ransom, all of Kortright; one sister, Mrs. A. F. Brown of Oneonta, and six brothers, Hugh, Matthew, George, Howard, John and James, all of this vicinity.

Card of Thanks.
I desire to thank the friends who so kindly sent me a sunshine box. Harmon H. Hilsinger, West Oneonta.

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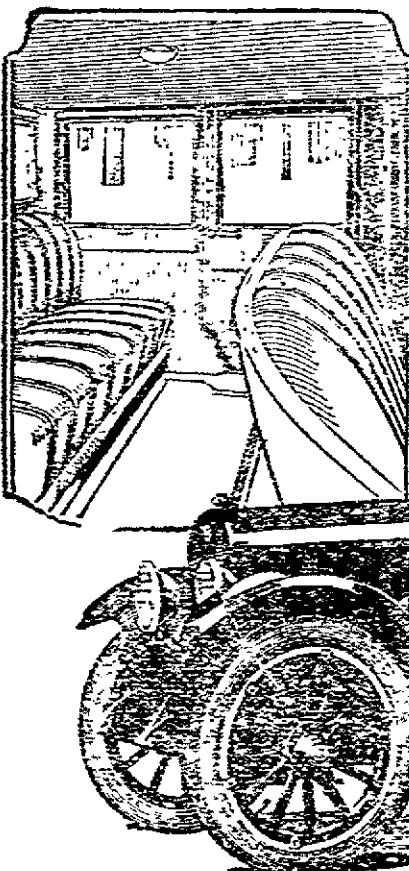
BEAUTY and comfort are combined in the LIGHT-SIX SEDAN with stability and correct design. Studebaker's long experience in body building assures just that.

In its quietness of power and freedom from vibration this LIGHT-SIX SEDAN sets new standards in closed car comfort. Distracting noises and discomforting body vibrations have been eliminated.

See this car—ride in it—compare it with other Sedans around its price, or hundreds of dollars higher—and we will rest our case with you.

Touring Car	\$1485
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THE UNIVERSAL CAR

That Mighty Serviceable Truck

There is just about the Ford one-ton truck that keeps it growing in popularity, namely, the good reports which the owners of Ford trucks spread abroad among their friends and acquaintances.

There is no better proof of merit quite so strong as the testimony of personal experience. It is not long after a Ford one-ton truck is sold in a community until other sales of the same truck follow, because "its works do follow."

Well, there is a reason. Yes, there are many reasons. The Ford one-ton truck was built to serve and to satisfy. It carries all the Ford virtues, light weight, simplicity in design, strength in construction, flexibility and durability—but above all, the lowest first cost and brings the lowest operating expense in the truck market.

It is just as useful just as necessary on the farm as it is in the city. It is just as necessary to the tradesmen, manufacturers, contractors, commission men, and others in the city as it is necessary for such concerns to have a place to do business in. In other words, the Ford truck is a general utility, and because of this fact and the further fact of its universal economy it is in a class by itself.

We will be glad to take your order for one of more Ford trucks and will give you fairly prompt delivery. You will likewise have the assurance of that reliable and economical after-service which is such a valuable factor in the service of Ford cars. Price, truck chassis, \$1450, f. o. b. Detroit, including demonstrator runs and pneumatic tires.

Oneonta Sales Company

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Our Aim—Ford service for Ford owners from radiator to tail lamp at Ford prices.



Al and Nan Delmont in "Harmont Avenue," a Comedy and Musical Jazz Oddity. It's a Big Time Keith and Noble Opera at Haddon's, Oneonta Theatre Tomorrow, 2:30, 7 and 9 p. m., Together with a Big Feature Photo-Play Program.

MULE KICKS HIS HEAD. DIES ANCIENT HARPS OF IRELAND

This Jones' "Bean" So Hard That It Shatters Animal's Leg—Jones Is O. K.

Huntsville, Ala.—The claim of Joseph Jones of Merriam to hospital attaches here that he had "some bean" was borne out recently.

His story that he had been kicked on the head by a mule and, as a result, the animal was lying helpless with a broken leg, was investigated and found to be true.

Jones said his way was blocked by a stray mule, and he made a threatening gesture to frighten it away. It refused to stampede, however, meeting the assault with a well-directed kick to the brow. The mule's leg was broken in two places. It was pronounced a helpless cripple and shot. Jones will recover.

Two Instruments, Each Having a Distinct Purpose, Were in Use in Olden Times.

The ancient Irish harp was of two kinds—a small instrument used chiefly for religious purposes, first by the old Druids in their rites, and later by the Christian bishops and abbots. The other harp was large, and was used in public assemblies and in battles.

The bagpipes were introduced into Ireland from Caledonia. They had the same use in the Irish armies they now have in the Highland regiments. But the Irish made, in the course of time, an improvement, using bellows to fill the chanter, instead of the mouth, and continued improving the instrument until the union-pipes of today are the result.

As to early Irish harpers and their music there is little known, but at Queen Elizabeth's court, Irish tunes were popular. Of late huge books of ancient Irish melodies have been collected and arranged. Petrie has attracted attention to this field by his thorough investigation of Irish folk music.

Sultana Orders Dazzling Gown. Paris.—Like a glittering golden beetle, holding itself gracefully to the lines of the figure and ending in a dazzling court train, an evening gown of remarkable design has just been made for Sultana Menelik of Egypt by Captain Molyneux, the English dress designer in Paris.

The dress, which is cut very low, front and back, hangs from the shoulders by gold cord and is made of shimmering sequins. The material cost \$2,500.

FIND ANCIENT BONES IN VAST 'NEW' CAVE

Kentucky Explorers Discover Underground City That May Rival Mammoth Cave.

In underground galleries never before visited by white men, a human skeleton has been discovered in Great Crystal cave, in Hart county, Kentucky.

Coincident with the discovery of the bones was the finding of a great underground "cathedral" which, it is said, will rival the wonders of Mammoth cave.

An avenue half a mile long and almost as level as a boulevard was found by explorers. The "cathedral" dome rises 200 feet above the bed of the cave. It is on a terraced ledge above the floor of the newly discovered gallery that the skeleton was unearthed from beneath a pile of drift.

Floyd Collins, on whose farm the cave was found, discovered the skeleton. Overturning a huge boulder which blocked a passageway, he thrust his torch into the aperture and crawled through.

As far as he could see the torch cast giant shadows on the walls. Others of the exploring party followed Collins and, leaving a signal fire at the opening, they began investigating the great underground passage.

It was while looking for driftwood for the signal fire that the skeleton was unearthed. The skeleton was left undisturbed and Dr. E. D. Turner of Cave City was called to examine it. He pronounced it that of an aborigine, perhaps of a race that preceded the Indians in Kentucky. No white man had ever before traversed the grotto.

Many miles of smaller avenues are yet to be traversed. The cave was discovered when Lee Collins, a brother of Floyd Collins, noticed the breathing of a sink hole on his place.

At times the air rushed out of the hole with a singing sound. With dynamite the opening was made large enough for a man to descend with a ladder.

The first explorer thought he had found the unexplored recesses of Mammoth cave. It is nine miles from the main entrance of Mammoth cave, but is a distinct cavern.

Ancient Inventions Used on Motors.

Perhaps the oldest design used in the modern automobile is that of the universal joint, which in principle is identical with the first universal developed by Cardan around 1530 A. D. Such joints are used in all modern automobiles and trucks in order to allow the propeller shaft to revolve and at the same time move up and down and side-ways relative to the rear axle. The axle bounces up and down according to road conditions, but the propeller shaft must connect thus becoming part with another unit attached to the frame of the car.

TAKE OHARA HERE FRIDAY.

Popular Actor-Singer in Irish Comedy Drama, Springtime in Mayo.

The annual appearance of Frank O'Hara, America's popular actor-singer on the stage is always an important incident. Augustus Fenton, Inc., will present this sterling artist at Haddon's, Oneonta theatre, Friday night, Feb. 25th, in a new, romantic, Irish comedy drama in three acts, "Springtime in Mayo," written by Anna Nichols Lally. The story of "Springtime in Mayo" is a theme that will appeal to the hearts of all who are to be held at Schoharie on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. O'Hara is a native of Schoharie county and was about 25 years of age. The funeral services are to be held at Schoharie on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. O'Hara is survived by a wife, two sons, residing in New York, and a daughter in Chicago, one sister, Mrs. Lora, above mentioned, and one brother, Marc Shaffer, of Hartford, Conn.

The deceased was quite well known here, having been a frequent visitor here when his sister was a resident. All friends of the family will extend sincerest sympathy.

Mrs. J. N. Holmes III.

Mrs. James N. Holmes of Maple street is seriously ill at the family home, suffering from hemorrhage of the lungs. While her condition has slightly improved, it is considered critical and her children have been summoned. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Arno of Schenectady, Mrs. Arno being a daughter, arrived Saturday evening, and Clayton J. Holmes of Detroit, Mich., is expected to arrive today. Mrs. Holmes has many friends in the city who learn with regret of her serious illness.

Philmont Paper Quits.

Chatham, Feb. 22.—For the second time in one year, publication of the Philmont Sentinel has been discontinued, the publishers giving excessive costs and insufficient income as the reason. The newspaper was founded in 1890 by the late E. J. Beardsley, who conducted it until he died about four years ago. His son, William H. Beardsley, continued the paper until last year, when he discontinued it because of insufficient support and rising costs of everything entering into the issue of a country weekly. A few months later the plant was taken over by two young men from New York who formed the Sentinel Publishing company and continued publication until this week.

Given Surprise Party.

Mrs. C. A. Decker and Miss Clara Smith gave a surprise party in honor of the eighth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William McCann at the home of the latter couple on Friday evening last, about 25 friends being in attendance. The evening was spent in games and music, after which refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. McCann were presented with numerous useful gifts and before departing the guests left best wishes that the couple may survive to celebrate their golden wedding day.

City property for sale, one of the best locations and paying propositions in the city. Ideal for family rooming or boarding houses, professional work, hospitals, club room, hotel, stores, garage or manufacturing purposes. Lot, 122 feet on Dietz street, 225 feet on line with Huntington park. Moderate price. Easy terms. Investigate Dr. J. P. Elliott, 29 to 35 Dietz street, Oneonta, N. Y.

Canning's Orchestra.

All engagements given prompt attention. 8 Ford avenue or phone 1152-N.

Lost—Two cameos on fine gold chain. Reward for return to 25 Elm street.

Fine Job Printing at Herald Office.

DEATH OF FRANK SHAFER.

Brother of Mrs. Corey H. Bost of Cobleskill, and Well Known Here.

Intelligence as reached Oneonta friends of the death in New York city on Saturday last of Frank Shaffer of that city, a brother of Mrs. Corey H. Bost, formerly of this city but now residing in Cobleskill and a cousin of Mrs. Walter L. Brown and Mrs. Julius J. Turner of this city. Death was due to cancer of the stomach.

Mr. Shaffer was a native of Schoharie county and was about 25 years of age. The funeral services are to be held at Schoharie on Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Shaffer is survived by a wife, two sons, residing in New York, and a daughter in Chicago, one sister, Mrs. Lora, above mentioned, and one brother, Marc Shaffer, of Hartford, Conn.

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Mrs. J. N. Holmes III.

Mrs. James N. Holmes of Maple street is seriously ill at the family home, suffering from hemorrhage of the lungs. While her condition has slightly improved, it is considered critical and her children have been summoned. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Arno of Schenectady, Mrs. Arno being a daughter, arrived Saturday evening, and Clayton J. Holmes of Detroit, Mich., is expected to arrive today. Mrs. Holmes has many friends in the city who learn with regret of her serious illness.

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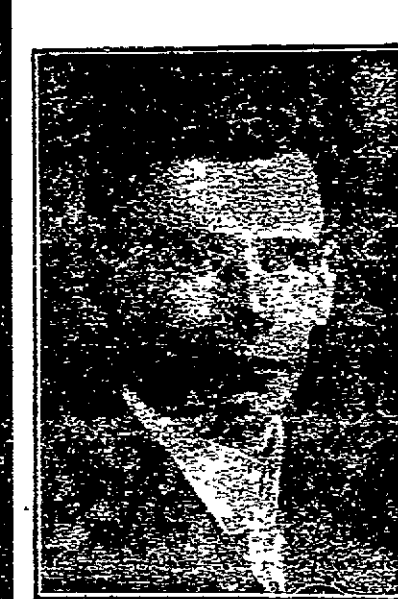
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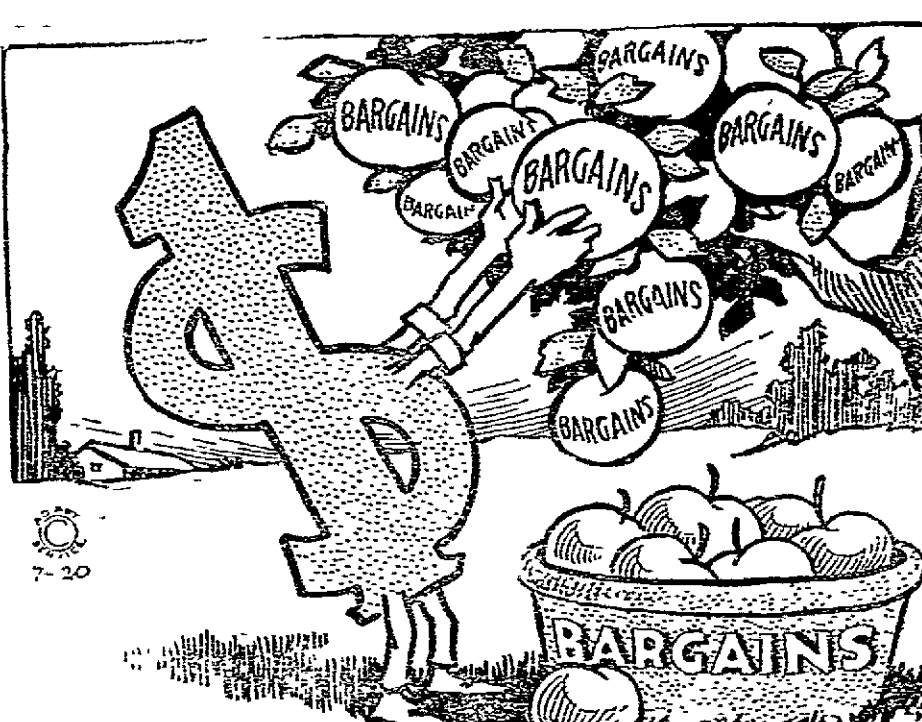
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